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FM AMEMBASSY MANAMA BAHRAIN

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SUBJECT : AMIR OF BAHRAIN'S SPEECH AT NAC

REFS : (A) MANAMA 1226, (B) COLOMBO 3056

1. WE HAVE FINALLY GOTTEN THE AUTHORIZED ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF THE AMIR OF BAHRAIN'S SPEECH AT THE NAC ON AUGUST 18. IT STRIKES US AS STANDARD FOR SUCH THIRD WORLD FORUMS, IN WHICH AMIR FEELS RELATIVELY ILL-AT-EASE. THE ONLY SUBJECT DESCRIBED WITH A HINT OF EMOTION OR CONCERN IS THAT OF THE ISRAELI/PALESTINIAN CONFLICT. OF INTEREST TO THE US WAS AMIR'S COMMENT THAT "ALL PREDICTIONS AND ANALYSES SHOW THAT

THE INDIAN OCEAN IS THE NEXT AREA OF CONFRONTATION FOR THE SUPER POWERS. . . EVERY EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE TO PREVENT THIS CONFRONTATION FROM BECOMING ACTIVE."

2. COMMENT: ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO, HEIR APPARENT/MINISTER OF DEFENSE (AND SON OF AMIR) TOLD COMIDEASTFOR AND CHARGE THAT AMIR'S ONLY COMMENT UPON RETURN TO ISLAND FROM COLOMBO WAS TO QUESTION WHETHER THE

SAME MAN HAD WRITTEN ALL THE SPEECHES GIVEN BY HEADS OF STATE.

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